

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Mines & Minerals – 2nd Renewal of Mining Lease for Limestone over an extent of 210-00 Hectares in Compartments Nos. 502, 503, 504, 506, 539 and 540 of Rally Reserve Forest, Devapur (v), Kasipet (M), Adilabad district for a further period of 20 years in favour of M/s Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Ltd. – Orders – Issued.

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 94

Dated: 06.09.2013
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.741, I&C (M.III) Dept., dt. 13.12.1977.
2. G.O.Ms.No.209, I&C (M.III) Dept., dt. 15.3.2000.
3. G.O.Ms.No.222, I&C (M.III) Dept., dt. 18.3.2000.
4. G.O.Ms.No.141, I&C (M.III) Dept., dt. 30.3.2002.
5. From the APMDC, Hyd. Lr. Dt. 23.11.2009 (Renewal Application)
6. From the DMG, Hyd, File.No. 36197/R8/2010.
7. Government letter No. 6185/M.III(2)/12-2, dt. 10-5-13.
8. From the GoI, Min. Of Mines, IBM, O/o CCM, Lr. No.N-11011 /49/RML/2012-CCOM-2239, Dt. 15.7.2013.

ORDER:

In the G.O. 1st read above, orders were issued sanctioning Mining lease for Limestone over an extent of 809.38 Hectares in compartment Nos. 501 to 507, 537, 539, 540 and 467 of Rally Reserve Forest, Devapur Village, Kasipet Mandal, Adilabad District for a period of 20 years in favour of M/s Orient Cement. The Mining Lease deed was executed on 21.3.1980 and the same was in force upto 20.3.2000. Subsequently M/s Orient Cement has requested the Government to permit them to transfer the above Mining Lease in favour of M/s.Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited for the remaining period of 20-3-2000. Subsequently, the Mining Lease was transferred in favour of M/s Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited under rule 37(1) of M.C. Rules, 1960 vide G.O. 2nd read above. Further, Government have accorded permission to the M/s.Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited to allow M/s Orient Cement to carry out mining operations for their self consumption for production of cement, vide G.O 3rd read above. The transfer of mining lease deed executed on 18.3.2000 for unexpired period upto 20.3.2000. Later, it was renewed for a period of 10 years for an extent of 210-00 Hectares with effect from 17-1-2001 in compartment Nos. 501 to 507, 537, 539, 540 and 467 of Rally Reserve Forest, Devapur Village, Kasipet Mandal, Adilabad District in favour of M/s Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited Ltd. vide G.O. 4th read above. Now, the Director of Mines and Geology, has furnished proposals for 2nd renewal of the above lease in favour of M/s. Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation Limited .

2. The Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad, has reported that, the area was inspected by the Assistant Geologist on 15.12.2009 and he has reported that the applied area is in forest land covered with Geological Survey of India toposheet No. 56 M/8, the area is part of Pakhal basin and the limestone reserves of Penganga super group of protozoic. The colour of the limestone is grey, dark grey and upper layer are flaggy. The thickness of limestone is about 30 mts. The Director of Mines & Geology has also stated, that the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Mancherial has reported that the applied area was surveyed by the Surveyor on 15.12.2009 and he reported the lessee company is working within the leased area and demarcated to an extent of 210-00 Hectares. The Director of Mines & Geology has also stated that, the present second renewal of mining leased area is forest land and the Environment Forest, Science & Technology (For.I) Department have given clearance as follows:

Sl. No.	Permitted for Diversion of the Forest Land extent in Hectors.	Details of G.Os. issued.	Period allowed for diversion of the forest land.
1	100-00	G.O.Ms.No.44, Dt. 30-6-2009	For a period of 20 years from the date of order i.e., 30-6-2009 to 29-6-2029.

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2	110-00	G.O.Ms.No.165, Dt. 29.9.2010.	For a period of 20 years from the date of order i.e., 29.9.2010 to 28.9.2030.
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3. In view of the above, Government have consulted the Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagapur for their report under Rule 24A(3) of M.C.Rules, 1960 on the proposed second renewal of the applied area for a further period of 20 years with effect from 17.1.2011 or upto the end of forest clearance, Vide Government letter 7th read above. The Indian Bureau of Mines, after considering the material in their letter 8th cited, have stated that, in view of the points mentioned therein the second renewal of Mining Lease of Devapur Limestone Mine of M/s Andhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corporation over and extent of 210 hectares in village Devapaur, Mandal Kasipet, District Adilabad, A.P. may be considered subject to:-

- I. Conditions laid down by the State Government for 1st renewal.
Receipt of all clearances and compliance of all applicable Acts and Rules.
- II. Erecting of boundary Pillars along the lease boundary.
- III. Imposition of special condition under Rule 27(3) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 for undertaking prospecting work in un-expired area in compliance to Ministry of Mines, Government of India letter No. 10/75/2008-M.V., dt. 23.12.2010.
- IV. Fulfillment of condition as per definition of illegal mining as per amended MCR 1960.

4. Government after careful consideration of the proposal of the Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad, and the report of the IBM, Nagapur, sanction is hear by accorded for grant of 2nd renewal of Mining Lease for Limestone over an extent of 210-00 hectors in compartment Nos. 502, 503, 504 506, 539 and 540 of Raily Reserve Forest, Devapur Village, Kasipet Mandal, Adilabad District for a period of 20 years in favour of M/s A.P.Mineral Development Corporation Limited (APMDC), with effect from 17.1.2011 for a further period of 20 years or upto the end of Forest clearance which ever is earlier subject to the conditions mentioned at para (3) above.

5. The Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad, shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines
Department of Mines, New Delhi
The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur.
The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Bihar.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

SF/SC (C.No.6185/M.III(2)/2012)

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